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Nyimang language

Nyimang, also known as **Ama**, is an East Sudanic language spoken in the Nuba Mountains.

It is spoken in Al Fous, Fuony, Hajar Sultan, Kakara, Kalara, Koromiti, Nitil, Salara, Tundia, and other villages (*Ethnologue*, 22nd edition).

Rilly (2010:182) lists two mutually unintelligible varieties, Ama and Mandal.[3] Blench lists the Mandal dialect separately.

Nyimang	
Ama	
Native to	Sudan
Region	Nuba Hills
Native speakers	(70,000 cited 1982)[1]
Language family	Nilo-Saharan? ▪ Eastern Sudanic ▪ Astaboran ▪ Nyima ▪ **Nyimang**
Dialects	Ama Mandal
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	`nyi`
Glottolog	`amas1236 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/amas1236)`[2]

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External links

- Ama basic lexicon at the Global Lexicostatistical Database (http://starling.rinet.ru/cgi-bin/response.cgi?root=new100&morpho=0&basename=new100\esu\nyi&limit=-1)

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